

Ute Indian expects second chili triumph

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LOS ANGELES — Rufus Valdez, half-blooded Ute Indian, is confident of winning the national chili cook-off again this year. His recipe is back 2,000 years.

Originally it was made with meat, beans or deer, chili peppers and corn meal from the ears of stalks that grew only to the knee. No pans.

Valdez, a civilian engineer at Grand Air Force Base, won last year's championship at Rosamond, Calif., and will be back again on Sept. 23 for the 11th annual cookoff. The California event is recognized as the national championship. Local organizers and many of the participants, who say it was moved from Terlingua, Tex., because of local ground rules in Terlingua are somewhat provincial.

Valdez says he got his recipe from his grandmother when he was a boy on the Ute reservation near Ignacio, Colo. She lived to the age of 102 and Valdez says she credited her longevity to that of her relatives to the Ute reservation.

Thirty-four cooks from all over the United States, including Alaska and Hawaii, are scheduled to compete again this year in Rosamond. The competition last year drew a crowd of 30,000 paying \$3 admission which goes to charity.

The contestants are furnished only with a table and a Coleman gas stove. They must bring their own ingredients — none to be prepared in advance — and various pots and pans.

Each contestant makes three gallons of chili. The winning chili is based on criteria of taste, consistency, color and aroma.

Judges this year will include Robert Mitchum, Ernest Borgnine and singer Kathryn Grayson, one of whose hit songs was "I Cried For You."

Valdez' chili is made with ground beef, ground pork, onion, celery, green pepper, tomato, oregano, cumin, New Mexico chili powder, clove garlic, salt and corn meal.

He says his Mexican wife has given him a tip on how to make the chili just that extra bit hotter that produces a champion.

Funeral services for Dr. Timm today

Funeral services for Dr. Tyrus R. Timm, one of the nation's most respected agricultural economists, are scheduled for today.

Timm, 65, a former department head of Texas A&M University and member of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, died early Sunday in a Houston hospital after a lengthy illness.

Services under the direction of Memorial Funeral Chapel of Bryan are to be held in the A&M United Methodist Church, with the Rev. Bob Waters officiating and burial in the College Station City Cemetery.

Survivors are his widow, Valerie, 4802 Park Place, College Station; a daughter, Mrs. Susan Riggs of Soleda, Calif.; a sister, Miss Alva Timm of Hallettsville, and a granddaughter.

Funeralbearers were Dr. Jarvis E. Miller, president of Texas A&M;

Reagan Brown, Texas Commissioner of Agriculture; Jack Sloan and Dick Hickerson, Agricultural Extension Service, retired; Tom Cherry, retired Texas A&M vice president for business affairs; Bob Cherry, assistant to the chancellor of Texas A&M; H.S. Bearde, retired director of the Texas Engineering Extension Service; Dr. Robert Branson, coordinator, Texas Agricultural Market Research Development Center at Texas A&M; Dr. John Q. Hays, former member of the Texas A&M English Department, and Dr. A.B. Wooten, director of the Texas Real Estate Research Center.

Timm family members have requested that any memorials be made to the Tyrus R. Timm Agricultural Economics Fellowship or to the class of 1934 Memorial Scholarship Fund.

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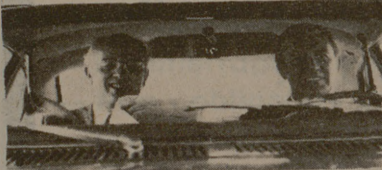
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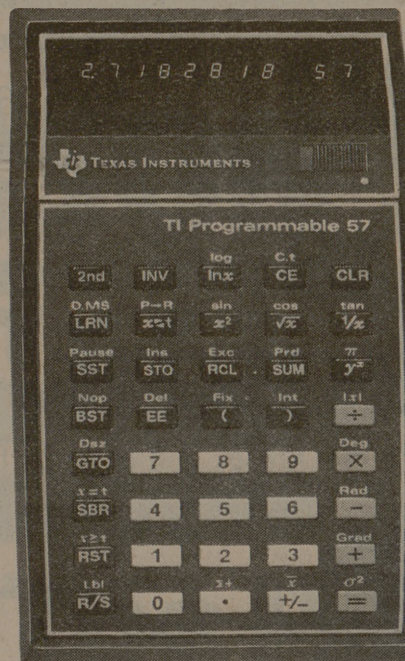
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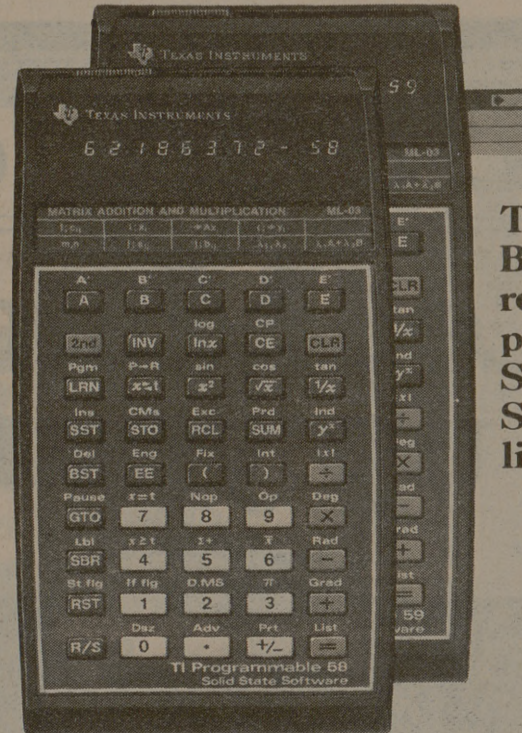
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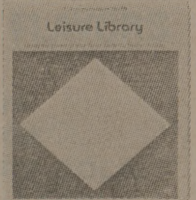


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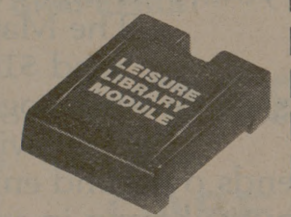
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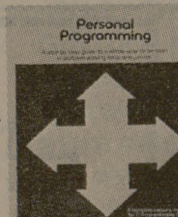


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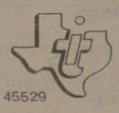
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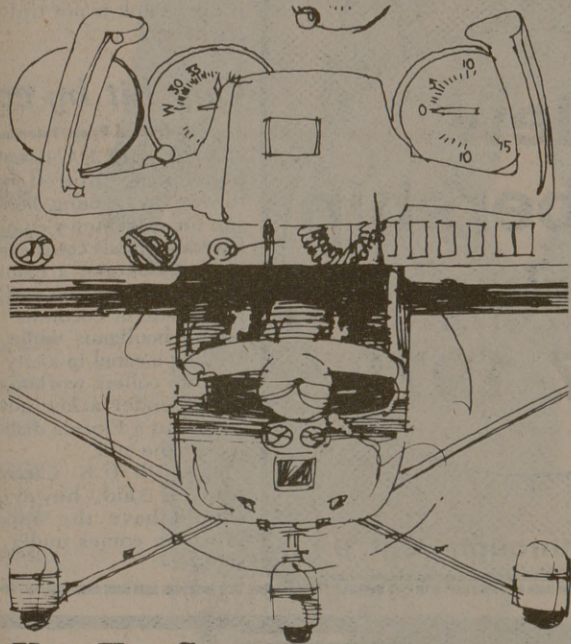
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